

## Wootton St. Peters C of E Primary School

Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built.

Our Vision: Our children become the rocks upon which a better world can be built. We explore the values of perseverance, compassion and courage to open up horizons of hope and aspiration.

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#### **Upcoming Dates:**

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May - Bank Holiday – (School Closed). Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May - Tennis at WHLC (Small group of Yr 3& 4 children).

Friday 9th May- Little Gems Farm Trip 9.15am-11.30am. Monday 12th Thursday 15th May - SATS Week. Wednesday 21st May - Mayday Celebrations Fair 1.30pm.

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May -** Moonstone class trip to LEGOLAND.

Monday 26th Friday 30th May - Half Term.

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June -** Quad Kids athletics at Tilsley Park 9-12.30pm Jade Class.

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June -** Quad Kids athletics at Tilsley Park 9 - 12.30pm Moonstone Class.

Monday 16th – 20th June - Art Week.

**Wednesday 18th June -** Tempest Group photos and Yr6 Photos.

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July -** Year 5&6 Residential to Youlbury.

Monday 14th July - Whole School P.E Dav.

**Friday 18th July -** Last Day of Term. School finishes at 1.30pm. **No ASC** 

Wednesday 3rd September - School starts 8.30am.

#### Dear parents/carers,

The recent sunshine has helped our playtimes to be even more joyous than usual. Its lovely to see your children at playtimes playing tag, digging the sandpit, climbing on the climbing frames, taking penalties and free kicks and taking part in imaginative role play games. I know I have said this before but it is a real privilege share such fun and positive times with your children. Thank you for sending them to our school and if you know of any parents who might be looking to move a child from their school let them know that we do have some places available.

# **Fabulous Curriculum Enrichment -**The Circus came to school!

Opal class absolutely loved their circus day. We believe it is so important to enrich the curriculum with exciting experiences as it gives the children memorable experiences that they can write about. We have already seen incredible work in Opal class because they have been so inspired. Thank you to the Opal team for planning such a wonderful and inspiring day.





















**Gardening Club** 

We would like to restore the Spirituality Garden which is located at the back of the playground. This is a quiet space where children can sit peacefully at breaktime and lunchtime, away from the more active activities that are going on around them.

A number of children have been trying to tidy up this space by sweeping up leaves and removing fallen twigs, We would really like to restore the space to how it once was before lockdown. Many of the plants have died and the former flower beds have been trampled on. It would be wonderful if parents and carers could donate some plants or propagate some from your own gardens so that we can fill the flower beds again. Evergreen shrubs would be good for the winter season but we would also appreciate any bulbs, perennials and also packets of seeds. Please make sure that none of the plants are toxic or have berries for health and safety reason.

Plants and seeds can be left at the office. Many thanks for your help.

#### May Day 21st May

The Maypole is out and the Maypole dancing has started already. For those of you who are new to the school, this event is a highlight of the school year. You will see wonderful May Pole dancing, the crowning of the May King and Queen, the year 5&6 games and of course our famous flower sticks. If your child is new to the school, please contact the office and we can supply you with a stick that can be decorated with real, plastic, or paper flowers. This is a treasured school tradition and I know many former pupils still have their sticks. Please also remember that the children will need to bring a change of Smart/Casual clothes with them to

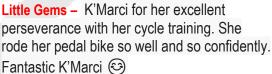
change into for the Maypole dancing (no Football shirts please or open toe sandals)



#### Flower Sticks

If you have any spare that you no longer use could they be brought into school just in case we needs some spares? Thank you ③

#### **The School Shield**



Opal – Arthur for his great independent writing about our Circus Workshop Day. Great work Arthur (3)

Jade – Taylun for his fantastic engagement with the new class topic. Well done Taylun ☺

Moonstone – Shyla for excellent work in grammar and reading comprehension. Great work Shyla ☺

#### This weeks Maths Master

**Little Gems –** Ruby for her impressive counting past 10!

Opal – Emillia for her quick mathematical thinking in Mastering Number to work out addition and subtraction questions.

**Jade** – Alfie for accurately telling the time and solving time problems.

Moonstone – Mia for neat presentation and being able to convert between fractions, decimals and percentages.

Well done to all our wonderful mathematicians this week



#### This Week's ask me about??

Little Gems -

Opal -- Our Circus Workshop day.

Jade - Vikings.

Moonstone – How bones change with age.

#### **Attendance This Week**

**Little Gems - 94.44%** 

Opal -- 96.25%

Jade - 97.32%

Moonstone - 92.06%

## **FOWS Update**

### Ice Pop Shop – TODAY!

Ice pops will be on sale for 50p each in the playground at 3pm.Cash only please

## May Fair - Wednesday 21st May



FOWS are delighted to once again be supporting May Fair.

Following the fantastic and no doubt energetic dancing, we will be running a number of stalls:

- Tea Shop; all and any donations of homemade or shop brought treats would be very much appreciated. If you are able to provide something, please let Claire Hastie or Angela Goswell know or drop us a line at friends.wootton.school@gmail.com.
- Teddy Tombola; we'd welcome any soft toys who are looking for a new home. Please either leave these in the boxes in the school office, or if easier / you have

large quantities, please contact Angela (WhatsApp 07860853980) to drop off at Mathews Way (collection can also be arranged).

- Adult Tombola; donations of toiletries, books, wine, confectionary, candles, small ornaments would be gratefully received. Please place in the box in the school office.
- Plant sale; any donations of small household plants or excess vegetable plants would be appreciated. Please let Claire Hastie or Angela Goswell know if you have any to donate and we'd ask that these are donated nearer the time (to ensure they don't dry out).

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: As ever, these events can only take place with the help of volunteers. If you are able to assist with running a stall, please see Claire Hastie or Angela Goswell or drop us a line at friends.wootton.school@gmail.com. The FOWS activities will take place after the maypole dancing, so all volunteers will get the chance to fully enjoy the May Fair dancing.

#### **School Bank details**

Please see the Bank details below to make direct credit payments for your child/ren. School dinners, school trips, Before and after school club etc can all be paid this way.

Bank- Lloyds TSB Account No- 19341368 Sort code- 30.80.12

Reference- Childs Name Lunch Or Childs Name Care

or Childs Name Trip.

Separate Payments should be set up for each child and service i.e. Lunch, Care or Trip.